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Subject Code	SO2S01	
Subject Title	Learning through Providing Eye Care and Vision Health to the Community	
Hosting Department	School of Optometry	
Level	2	
Class Quota	120	
Medium of Instruction	English, supplemented by Cantonese/Putonghua in service delivery As patients will mainly be Cantonese/Putonghua speakers, students who can communicate in Cantonese and/or Putonghua will have an advantage	
Subject Duration	Summer Term + Semester One	
Teaching Staff	Dr Chi-wai Do, Prof. Henry Chan, Dr Andrew Lam, Ms Vivian Lo Wai Ying, Ms Natalie Chan Yu Yan, Dr Lydia Yu, Dr Geoffrey Chu and Dr Lily Chan	
Target Students	GUR, open for all	
Pre-requisites	Nil	
Selection of students required?	No	
Subject Synopsis	https://www.polyu.edu.hk/so/- /media/department/so/content/study/so2s01.pdf?la=en&hash=85161734880 5FE6F55028193D6EC687A	
Service Project		
What will students do to serve?	Lectures and practical lab sessions will be arranged to allow students to understand the basic concepts of vision screening and familiarize themselves with some simple yet important clinical tests for vision assessment. Students are expected to work in groups (10-20 students per group, may have sub-groups, depending on the class size) for this service-learning project. Each group of students will be responsible for organizing and implementing a community vision screening or eye care promotion project. Site visit(s) will be arranged prior to the project. Students will be delegated different tasks to render and serve during the project. Supervisors will be on-site to monitor the vision screening process and help to disseminate eye care information. # Local vision screening projects are based on a first-come, first-served sign- up system. Not all students will be guaranteed their first choice in project location and/or servicing communities.	
Whom will students serve?	People with difficulties in accessing vision and eye health care services, including but not limited to elderlies, schoolchildren (especially kindergarten and primary school students), new immigrants, low-income families, refugees, ethnic minorities as well as those afflicted with physical and mental disabilities.	
Where will students serve?	Hong Kong Chinese mainland	District: To be advised Province: City:

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	Local projects: During weekdays or weekends, depending on availability of the		
When will students serve?	targeted service users.		
Fee payable by students	N.A.		
Service Attributes			
	#OnlineService #F2FService		
Service Mode	ServiceClient_Cantonese		
	 #ServiceClient_English #ServiceClient_Putonghua #ServiceClient_OtherNonEnglish 		
Service Language	<pre>#ServiceClient_OtherNonEnglish</pre>		
	#Location_HK		
	#Location_MainlandChina		
Service Location	Location_Taiwan		
	Location_Macau		
	#Location_Overseas (To be confirmed)		
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